



## 2022 Information Sheet

### Westchester Works Child Care Scholarship Program

#### Eligibility Requirements

1. Apply now but no more than 60 days prior to care starting.
2. Applicants (all parents in household) must live in Westchester County, be employed at least 10 hours per week, and earning at least minimum wage.
3. Child care provider must be located in Westchester County.
4. Your total gross household annual income must be within the income eligible guidelines listed below. Your household income includes all income, such as wages/salary, child support, SSI, etc.

Family Size	Income Range		
<b>2</b>	\$50,353	to	\$63,416
<b>3</b>	\$58,727	to	\$78,337
<b>4</b>	\$62,438	to	\$93,259
<b>5</b>	\$73,058	to	\$108,180

If you are making below the above income levels, you may be eligible for child care subsidy, call 914-761-3456 x140.

If you are making below the income levels listed below, you will be eligible for child care subsidy on 8/1/22 and no longer eligible for this scholarship.

Family Size	If you are making below this income range on 8/1/22 you may be eligible for child care subsidy and no longer eligible for the scholarship.
<b>2</b>	\$54,930
<b>3</b>	\$69,090
<b>4</b>	\$83,250
<b>5</b>	\$97,410

5. This scholarship is only open to applicants who do not receive or are not eligible for any other financial assistance for child care through any public or state program.



6. Child care must be in an OCFS regulated program, Dept. of Health Camp with valid permit, or a scholarship-approved exempt/informal provider. It is the applicant’s responsibility to confirm if the caregiver, camp, etc. will accept this scholarship.
  - a. An informal provider is a provider who is not required to be registered or licensed by OCFS. The care can be in the child’s home or the provider’s home but payment will go to the provider. To be a scholarship-approved informal provider the provider must:
    1. Have a satisfactory Sex Offender Registry check
    2. Take and complete a free online 5 hours Health & Safety class.
    3. Submit a W9 to receive a 1099 at year-end for tax purposes.
    4. Agree to and have a pre-approval safety visit for all care in the provider’s home; if it is not satisfactory, this individual may not be a provider under this scholarship program.
    5. After scholarship and provider are approved, agree to at least one unannounced verification of care visit. If care is not verified, scholarship will end.

### **Westchester Works Child Care Scholarship Program Scholarship Award Breakdown**

Funds will be distributed to your child care provider based on the child's attendance in the following manner:

- Full monthly award will be received if child attends at least 16 days of the month.
- Partial monthly award will be received if child attends less than 16 days of the month.
- Please note for school-age children the rates change during the school year and summer months (July/August).
- Scholarship ends December 31, 2022.

#### **Centers, School Age Programs, & Camps**

	Infants under 2 years old		Toddler 2 years old		Preschoolers 3 & 5 years old		School-Age 6 years and over	
	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award
Monthly	\$995	\$500	\$925	\$465	\$850	\$425		
Monthly	School Year						\$765	\$385
Monthly	Summer (July & August)						\$865	\$435



**Family Child Care & Group Family Child Care**

	Infants under 2 years old		Toddler 2 years old		Preschoolers 3 & 5 years old		School-Age 6 years and over	
	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award
Monthly	\$820	\$410	\$805	\$405	\$780	\$390		
Monthly	School Year						\$655	\$330
Monthly	Summer (July & August)						\$755	\$380

**Informal Providers/ Family, Friend, or Neighbor (FNN) Care**

	Infants under 2 years old		Toddler 2 years old		Preschoolers 3 & 5 years old		School-Age 6 years and over	
	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award	Full Award	Partial Award
Monthly	\$535	\$270	\$525	\$265	\$505	\$255		
Monthly	School Year						\$390	\$195
Monthly	Summer (July & August)						\$490	\$245

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